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**Thanksgiving**

"We plow the fields and scatter  
The good seed on the land,  
But it is fed and watered  
By God's almighty hand;  
He only is the Maker  
Of all things near and far,  
He paints the wayside flowers,  
He lights the evening star;  
We thank Thee, then, O Father,  
For all equal parts of salt  
Rub mixture into  
The seedtime through bristles.  
Our life, our health, our  
food."  
— M. Cladius

**Battle of Droop Mountain**

Continued from last week  
Most of us have grown up with the idea that the Confederates neglected to guard their left flank and that they were surprised and outflanked and that was the reason that the battle was lost. But a study of the official dispatches on both sides does not bear out this theory. It seems that no less than four detachments were sent against this attack from the west and that the soldiers fought a long and bloody battle in the thick forest and undergrowth on the flat top of the mountain extending for a mile or more as level as a floor from the fortified places by the pike clear back to the Viney Mountain.

And what is more, instead of being surprised by the flanking movement, a Confederate soldier fired the last rifle shot on the flank. This soldier said that they were lying in the woods watching for the Federal troops to advance and that the first that they saw of them was when a Federal soldier showed his face over a rail fence. "Shot him square between the eyes and he squealed like a pig." This was the first soldier killed at the battle of Droop Mountain.

Colonel Augustus Moor of the 28th Ohio regiment, and Colonel T. M. Harris, of the 10th West Virginia, were the commanding officers who made that fatal and deadly attack on the left flank of the Confederate army and it was not so much finesse as hard knocks that drove the Confederates in upon their center and disorganized the plans so that there was nothing to do but run.

Moor went the long way around and Harris joined him somewhere near the Dar Place, so named after Abraham Dar, a pioneer. Moor did not move before daylight, as reported, on this encircling effort. He marched down from near Mill Point to Hillsboro before daylight, but he was still at that town at nine o'clock. Then being in plain view of the enemy on top of the mountains, he received orders to go around them and he was in a broad open country, and the question was how to get out of there without being observed.

He said that he went Northwest, taking advantage of woods, hollows, rail fences and every other thing that could hide them. He had his men trail their rifles. He must have struck the Viney Mountain somewhere back of Captain McNeel's for he said that after getting on the mountain that he marched for one hour due south, when he arrived at a fence. The main crest of Droop Mountain runs north and south for more than a mile, but there was continual fighting on the full length of this ridge, 3100 feet in elevation. He says the Confederates raised at this fence at a distance of not more than twenty five or thirty yards and poured a devastating fire on his men, that this was the critical moment of the day. He intimates that if his men had broken at that surprise the battle would have been lost. The men were commanded to lie down, and in a few minutes Colonel Harris's regiment joined him on that top and they went forward fighting every inch of ground.

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Hutton received honorable mention in the dispatches. Also Lieutenant John J. Beard.  
It was a more far-reaching victory than the Richmond government was willing to admit. For it was the last stand in a way that the Confederate States made in West Virginia. The retreat took them well down to Dublin, and no rebel army was assembled in West Virginia after that time. That was the turning point of the war so far as the mountains were concerned. When the Federal army returned to Beverly they went over the Seneca Trail and as they approached the top of Elk Mountain beyond Edray they were fired on from the woods by a troop of about sixty Confederate soldiers. Bushwackers they called them. The army was halted and a company climbed up the mountain on the right of the road, and another company climbed up to the pass on the left and by the time they all got to the top, the Confederate company was going down the hill on the other side. But they ought not to call them bushwackers. The most of the battle of Droop Mountain was fought in the brush so thick that all of the movements of troops engaged were obscured from view, and the issue of the battle hung on a hair.

You might travel the world over and not see as fine a scene as is to be obtained from the battle field of Droop Mountain. You see the mountains, the smiling plain, and the river. There above the clouds are to be seen in the latter part of the summer and early fall, the famous cloud seas of the Alleghenies. Some time or other when West Virginia is willing to devote some small part of her time and earnings to history and her good name, the citizens of West Virginia will make here a park like that of Gettysburg, and other battle fields, and when they do they will have one that exceeds all of the rest in natural beauty and scenic value.

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**Constable's Sale**  
Robert Jacobson, Attorney  
for Bank of Marlinton  
vs.  
William C. Guy L. and  
Glenna May  
Before T. W. Smith, Justice of the Peace, Edray District, Pocahontas County, West Virginia.  
By virtue of an Execution to me directed in the above cause, I have levied upon and will, on  
Saturday, November 30  
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Stanley Wooddell, Constable

**Rummage Sale**  
Rummage Sale Saturday, December 7, beginning at 9:00 a. m. at the American Legion Hall by the B & PW Club. 21-3

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